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Examiner: A. E. Juedes

LETTER

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Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated February 23, 2009, and further to the Amendment After Final Action Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 filed May 22, 2009, Applicants submit the following. The Examiner stated in the Office Action of February 23, 2009 that one of the references cited in the Information Disclosure Statement filed on January 22, 2009, could not be located in the file. Applicants stated in the May 22, 2009, response that the reference was being submitted with the response to the Final Office Action. The reference was inadvertently omitted from the filing. Accordingly, Applicants submit herewith for the consideration of the Examiner a copy of the reference, *i.e.*, JP-2720712 and an English translation of the abstract.

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Linda T. Parker, Reg. No. 46,046 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37.C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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